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Serial No. 09/829,527	Filing Date April 10, 2001	Examiner Pratt	Group Art Unit 1771
Inventor(s) Wang et al.			
Title of Invention MELT PROCESSABLE POLY(ETHYLENE OXIDE) FIBERS			

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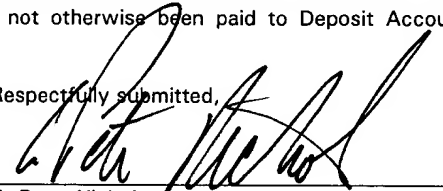
Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted.

- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☐ Petition for a _____ month extension of time.
- ☒ No additional fee is required.
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